

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Michel Kubacki
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Appl. No.: 10/544,158
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Art Unit: 3751
Confirmation No: 8425

ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450


Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.27(c)(1), Applicant hereby asserts entitlement to small entity status in the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

Date April 6, 2009

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Enclosed is:

[☒] Assertion of Small Entity status is enclosed.

[☒] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate	Additional Claims Fee	
Total Claims:	23	-	25	=	0	x	\$52.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	3	-	3	=	0	x	\$220.00	=	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:						+	\$390.00	=	\$0.00

CLAIMS FEE TOTAL = \$0.00

☐ Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$130.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$490.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,110.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,730.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,350.00	\$0.00
EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:		\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):	\$140.00	\$0.00
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL:		\$0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		\$0.00
Extension Fees Previously Paid:		\$0.00
TOTAL FEE:		\$0.00

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

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